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Applicant : Babej, et al.
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HOLLOW ELEMENT, ASSEMBLY PIECE, AND FOLLOW-ON
COMPOSITE TOOL FOR CARRYING OUT SAID METHOD
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, and in compliance with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, applicants submit attached Forms PTO-SB/08B (modified) for consideration and request the documents cited therein be made of record by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-captioned application.

Applicants respectfully point out that the submission of the listed documents in this Information Disclosure Statement is not an admission that they are prior art or that they are material to patentability of any claims of the application. Also, the submission of this Information Disclosure Statement is not an indication that a search has been made by Applicants.

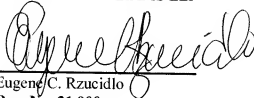
In addition, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2), a copy of the foreign references are submitted herein.

Consideration of the foregoing plus the prompt return of a copy of the enclosed Forms with the Examiner's initials in the left column in accordance with MPEP 609 are respectfully requested.

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